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SUBJECT: COFFEE EXPORTER MEETING IN MEXICO: PRESIDENT GEISEL'S
LETTER OF SUPPORT.

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1. JORNAL DO BRASIL (RIO DE JANEIRO) OF AUGUST 15 PUBLISHED
TEXT OF LETTER FROM GOB PRESIDENT GEISEL TO GOC PRESIDENT
LOPEZ MICHELSEN ACCEPTING LOPEZ MICHELSEN'S INVITATION
FOR BRAZIL TO ATTEND COFFEE EXPORTER MEETING IN MEXICO
(REFTEL).

2. FOLLOWING ARE HIGHLIGHTS OF THE LETTER: (A) GEISEL
EXPRESSED OFFICIAL GOB SUPPORT FOR THE CREATION OF A
COFFEE PRICE STABLIZATION FUND UNDER THE AUSPICES OF THE
ICO; (B) THE PROPOSED FUND'S OBJECTIVE SHOULD BE TO ASSURE
THE LONG-TERM STABLIZATION OF COFFEE PRICES AT A LEVEL
SATISFCATORY TO PRODUCERS; (C) THE LETTER EXPRESSED
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THE GOB VIEW THAT RELATIVELY LOW COFFEE PRICES AT
PRESENT ARE THE RESULT OF SPECULATION, AND THAT BRAZIL
CANNOT ACCEPT THESE PRICES IN VIEW OF THE CLEAR PRESENT
SHORTAGE OF COFFEE IN THE WORLD; (D) THE LETTER AFFIRMED
THAT BRAZILIAN COFFEE STOCKS, TRADITIONALLY THE WORLD'S
COFFEE RESERVES, ARE ALMOST EXHAUSTED.

3. IBC OFFICE IN BRASILIA CONFIRMED TO EMBOFF AUGUST
19 THAT IBC PRESIDENT CALAZANS WILL ATTEND MEXICO
MEETING. THIS WAS LASO CONFIRMED BY FONMIN COFFEE
SOURCE, WHO SAID THAT PAULO DIRCEU PINHEIRO, CHIEF OF
FONMIN'S COMMIDITY DIVISION, WOULD ACCOMPANY CALAZANS
TO MEXICO MEETING.
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